UNITED STATES BANKRUPTCY COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

SECURITIES INVESTOR PROTECTION CORPORATION,

Adv. Pro. No. 08-01789 (SMB)

Plaintiff-Applicant,

SIPA LIQUIDATION

v.

(Substantively Consolidated)

BERNARD L. MADOFF INVESTMENT SECURITIES LLC,

Defendant.

In re:

BERNARD L. MADOFF,

Debtor.

IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Substantively Consolidated SIPA Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC and for the Estate of Bernard L. Madoff.,

Adv. Pro. No. 10-04658 (SMB)

Plaintiff,

v.

CAROL NELSON,

Defendant.

IRVING H. PICARD, Trustee for the Substantively Consolidated SIPA Liquidation of Bernard L. Madoff Investment Securities LLC and for the Estate of Bernard L. Madoff, Adv. Pro. No. 10-04377 (SMB)

Plaintiff,

v.

CAROL NELSON, Individually and as Joint Tenant; and STANLEY NELSON, Individually and as Joint Tenant,

Defendants.

DECLARATION OF ROBERT J. NELSON

I, ROBERT J. NELSON, declare as follows:

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1. I am a partner in the law firm Lieff Cabraser Heimann & Bernstein, LLP and a

member of the New York Bar and admitted to the United States District Courts for the Southern

and Eastern Districts. Pursuant to Local Civil Rule 1.4 of the Local Rules of the United States

District Courts for the Southern and Eastern Districts of New York, I submit this declaration in

support of the accompanying notice and proposed order substituting Robert J. Nelson for Helen

Davis Chaitman as counsel for defendants Carol Nelson, Individually and as Joint Tenant; and

Stanley Nelson, Individually and as Joint Tenant ("Defendants") in the above-captioned

adversary proceeding. I have also read Local Bankruptcy Rule 2090-1 of the Local Rules of the

United States Bankruptcy Court for the Southern District of New York.

2. The Defendants have requested and consent to this substitution of counsel.

3. It is not expected that any delay or prejudice will result to any party in this

proceeding from this substitution of counsel.

Pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746, I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true

and correct. Executed on December 4, 2019.

Dated: New York, New York December 4, 2019

/s/ Robert J. Nelson

Robert J. Nelson

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